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ACTION TRSE-00

INFO OCT-01 EA-11 ISO-00 NEA-10 IO-15 SPC-03 AID-20 EB-11

NSC-10 RSC-01 CIEP-02 SS-15 STR-08 OMB-01 CEA-02

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FM AMEMBASSY MANILA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 8425

INFO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE

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E.O. 11652: ADS, DECLAS 12/31/73

TAGS: EAID, EFIN, LA

SUBJECT: NAM NGUM II

BANGKOK FOR RED

TREASURE FOR FINKEL

REF: A) BANGKOK 15482 B) STATE 196122

1. U.S. DIRECTOR ADB THOROUGHLY DISCUSSED UNTYING  
PROVISION WITH BANK MANAGEMENT UPON RETURN FROM  
BANGKOK MEETING CITED REF A. BANK OBVIOUSLY PREFERS  
UNTYING FROM ALL DONORS FOR REASONS MENTIONED REF A  
AND STRESSED MORE FULLY IN BANK PAPER ENTITLED  
"PROPOSALS FOR FINANCING OF SECOND PHASE OF CONSTRUCTION  
OF NAM NGUM HYDROPOWER FACILITIES, LAOS". HOWEVER, BANK FULLY  
UNDERSTANDS AND APPRECIATES REASONS FOR U.S. POSITION  
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ON TYING AND NO QUESTION THAT BANK WILL ACCEPT U.S.

TIED PROPOSAL. WISH TO EMPHASIZE LATTER POINT, I.E., BANK  
WILL ACCEPT U.S. TIED PROPOSAL. POINT MADE PARA C REF A  
ABSOLUTELY CORRECT. BANK DID ANTICIPATE AND WILL ACCEPT TIED  
CONTRIBUTIONS.

2. AGREE FULLY WITH REF A THAT ALL U.S. CONDITIONS NOW  
MET, ESPECIALLY IN VIEW OF DISCUSSION CITED PARA 1 ABOVE  
BETWEEN U.S. DIRECTOR AND BANK VICE PRESIDENT. SEE NO  
REASON NOW WHY USDEL TO OCT DONORS' MEETING UNABLE TO  
INITIAL DRAFT AND BE FULLY AUTHORIZED TO DO SO.

3. IN VIEW ABOVE DEVELOPMENTS, USADB CONSIDERS IT  
UNTIMELY TO PASS SUBSTANCE REF B TO ADB PENDING RECONSIDERATION  
OF MATTER IN VIEW MOST RECENT DEVELOPMENTS CITED REF A  
AND THOSE CONTAINED THIS MESSAGE.  
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